

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mian Ying Wang

Serial No.: 10/808,872

Art Unit

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Title: SELECTIVELY INHIBITING ESTROGEN
PRODUCTION AND PROVIDING
ESTROGENIC EFFECTS IN THE HUMAN
BODY

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Examining Attorney: Patricia A Leith

**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.78
PETITION TO ACCEPT UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED BENEFIT CLAIM**

Dear Examiner Leith:


Applicant hereby requests that the present application be afforded the benefit of a prior filed application. The priority claim has been appropriately referenced in an amendment to the specification indicating that the above-referenced application is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/396,868, filed March 25, 2003, entitled "PREVENTATIVE AND TREATMENT EFFECTS OF MORINDA CITRIFOLIA AS AN AROMATASE INHIBITOR" and claims priority to United States Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/458, 353, filed March 28, 2003, entitled "THE POSSIBLE ESTROGENIC EFFECTS OF TAHITIAN NONI PUREE JUICE CONCENTRATE-DRY FORM", both of which are incorporated herein by reference, and this application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 11/553,323, filed October 26, 2006 which is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/993,883, filed November 19, 2004, which is a divisional of United States

Application Serial No. 10/286/167, filed November 1, 2002, which claims priority to United States Provisional Application Serial No. 60/335,313, filed November 2, 2001, and entitled, "Methods for Treating Conditions Related to Diabetes" and this application is a continuation-in-part of U.S Patent Application No. 11/553,323, filed October 26, 2006, which is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application No.10/993,883, filed November 19, 2004, which is a divisional of United States Application Serial No. 10/286/167, filed November 1, 2002, which claims priority to United States Provisional Application Serial No. 60/335,313, filed November 2, 2001, and entitled, "Methods for Treating Conditions Related to Diabetes."

This petition is accompanied by the reference required and the necessary surcharge under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i). The entire delay between the date the claim was due and the date the claim was filed was unintentional.

DATED this 14 day of October, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,



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